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Mr. V. M. RAMASWAMI MUDALIYAR:—" Will the Government be pleased to withdraw the demand for security and reconsider the question of withdrawing the prohibition? "

The hon. Sir MAHOMED USMAN:—" I do not think that the question arises."

Police

Direct recruitment of Assistant Superintendent of Police and Deputy Superintendents of Police since 1928.

* 303 *Q.*—Mr. K. A. NACHIYAPPA GOUNDER: Will the hon. the Home Member be pleased to state—

(*a*) how many Assistant Superintendents, and how many Deputy Superintendents of Police have been selected in each year from 1928 by way of direct recruitment;

(*b*) to which community each of them belongs;

(*c*) on what principles and on what basis the selections have been made;

(*d*) how many are the sons of Police officials;

(*e*) how many are the sons of non-officials; and

(*f*) how many are the sons of present or past officials other than Police officials?

A.—(*a*), (*b*), (*d*), (*e*) & (*f*) The information is contained in the annexed statement.[a]

(*c*) Recruitment of Assistant Superintendents of Police is regulated by the Indian Police (Recruitment) Rules, 1927, as subsequently amended and of Deputy Superintendents of Police by the general rules relating to all Provincial Services and the special rules relating to the Madras Police Service. Copies[a] of these rules are annexed.

Mr. K. A. NACHIYAPPA GOUNDER:—" May I know, Sir, whether the persons from the southern districts have been given a fair chance for these appointments? "

The hon. Sir MAHOMED USMAN:—" I think so."

Rao Bahadur C. NATESA MUDALIYAR:—" May I know whether the hon. the Home Member—he should be congratulated on giving the appointments to the various communities and on applying the communal Government Order so fairly—will take into consideration representation to the various districts also in enforcing the communal Government Order? "

The hon. Sir MAHOMED USMAN:—" I do not think it is possible."

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[a] Printed as Appendix I on pages 467–507 infra.